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# (54) MOBILE MEDIA COMMUNICATIONS **SYSTEM**

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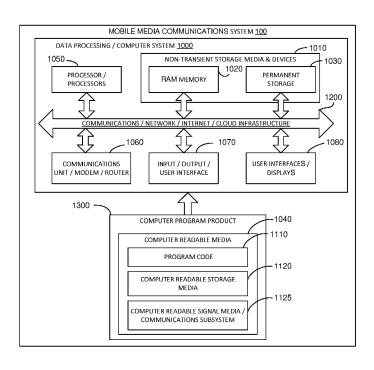
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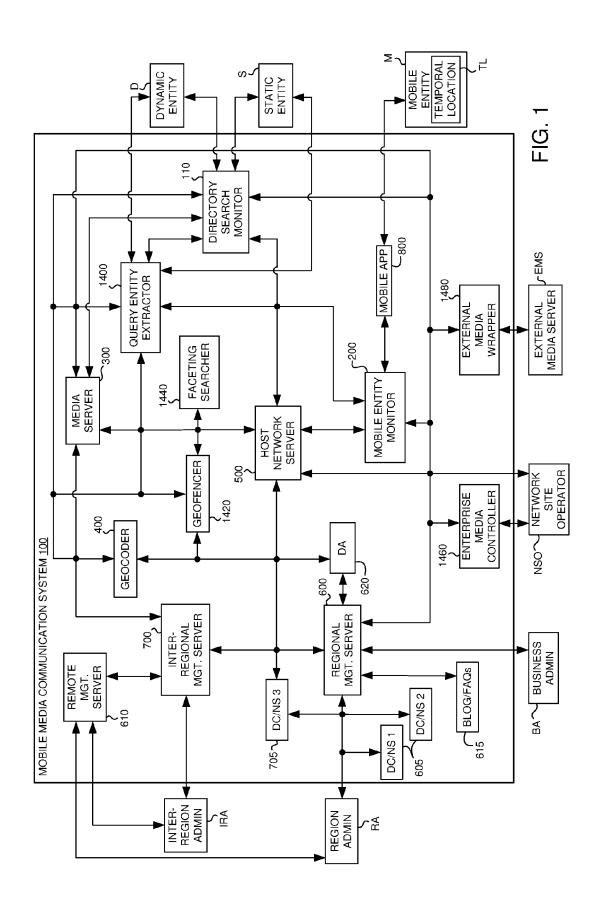
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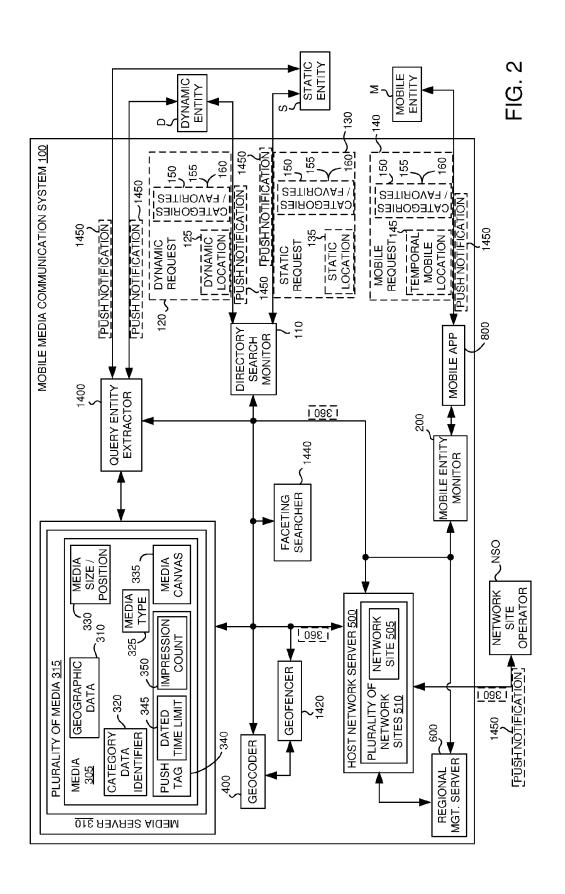
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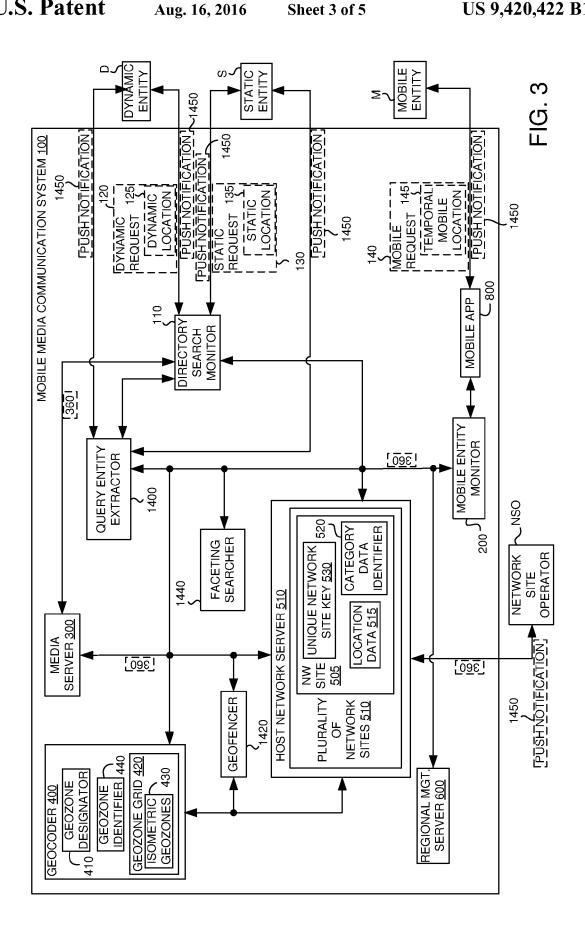
A media communications system enabling mobile and desktop devices to communicate with websites relevant to a query that is shallow parsed, associated to predetermined categories, and regenerated as a conflated query array that includes extracted entities, associated categories, a location, and a geo-limit parameter. The media communications system further enables real-time messaging between the mobile and desktop devices and the websites, as well as generation of well-formed websites, media, and multimedia, with pre-rendered embedded content, and enables to concurrently and automatically demographically and geographically distributed push notifications to the websites and devices, and embeds relevancy-amplified, geotargeted media and multimedia communications, which media are selected by realtime machine-learned, high-probability consumer interest weighting and relevancy functions that are continuously updated in response to monitored consumer actions. The system further enables geographically regional and inter-regional systems management to enable automated replication and regional and demographic testing of the geotargeted and relevant communications.

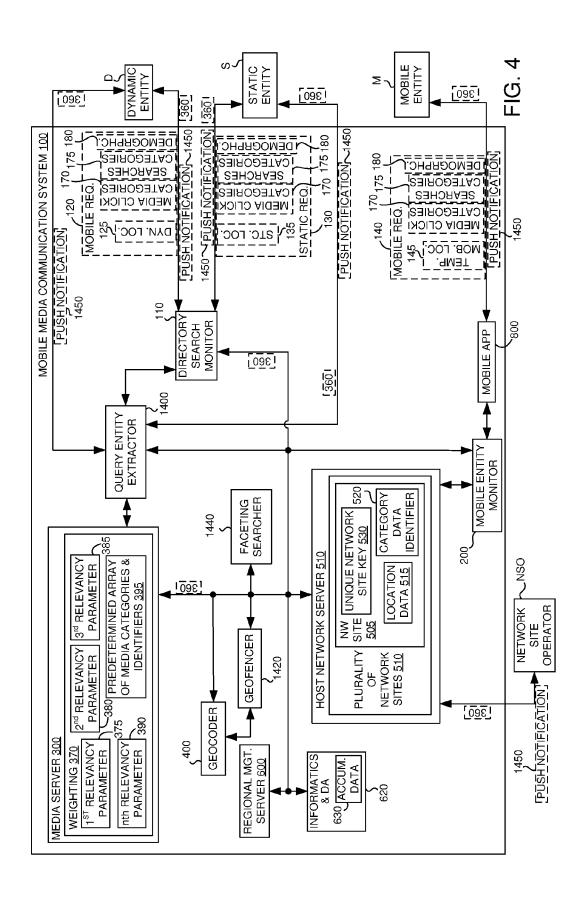
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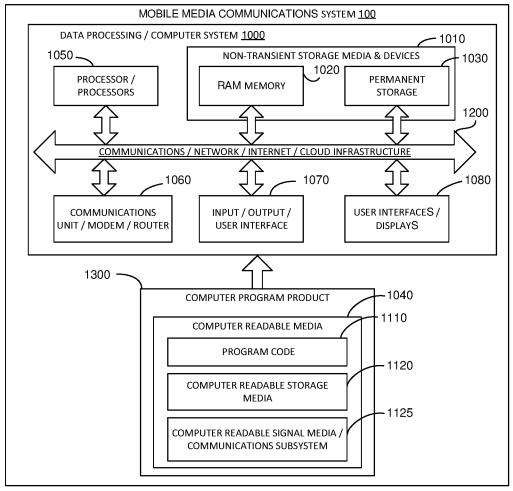


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# MOBILE MEDIA COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM

# CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED PATENT APPLICATION

This application is a continuation in part of co-owned, prior filed applications entitled "Mobile Media Communication System" of Frederick Rice, et al., Ser. No. 14/527,777, filed 30 Oct. 2014, granted on Mar. 15, 2006, as 9,288,617, and <sup>10</sup> Ser. No. 14/995,206, filed 14 Jan. 2016, which are incorporated by reference herein in their entirety.

### TECHNOLOGICAL FIELD

The present disclosure describes systems and methods for automated relevancy-weighted, pushed media and multimedia distribution and communications for mobile and static electronic communications devices such as mobile phones, tablets, laptops, portable electronic devices, automotive communications devices, aircraft on-board entertainment systems, billboard and marquee systems, desktop computers, and related devices, systems, and electronics.

### **BACKGROUND**

Despite much progress in recent decades, problems persist in the mobile device field of technology with respect to enabling efficient, predictable, and responsive communications of various types of media to unmoving or static devices and moving and dynamic mobile devices. Challenges presently exist with current systems and methods available for managing large mobile device communications networks, for enabling updated media to be created and disseminated, for preventing dissemination of undesired media communications, and for enabling more predictable and desirable communication of preferred media communications.

Such preferred media communications have long been sought by both those creating new and interesting media, and by those seeking notification of the availability of such new 40 media. However, present day systems and methods fall short in enabling these capabilities, and instead often rely upon seemingly and apparently random dissemination of ineffective, unwanted, and irrelevant media communications. In fact, most mobile and static devices are often crammed and inundated with media communications that are not relevant to any particular subject matter or category of data, or any particular geographic area or region. Further, such unwanted media communications are often sourced from suspicious and shadowy online predators who are seeking only to surreptitiously 50 capture personal information from unprotected mobile or static devices.

Many existing mobile device communication methods and systems purport to enable sophisticated and targeted media communications to specifically identified demographic and 55 geographic mobile and static devices or entities. However, most such systems and methods fail to achieve their advertised capabilities, and are instead limited to generating revenue streams as a function of mass cramming of untargeted, repetitive media communications to unsuspecting mobile and 60 static devices. Whether such mass cramming is sourced from putatively reputable entities, or less savory purveyors, recipient mobile and static devices and their users rarely benefit.

Despite decades of progress in the mobile communications management field, vast numbers of legitimate businesses 65 remain often unwilling to try to use them, and are therefore unable to communicate with mobile and static devices in any

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effective way. This is primarily because so many have found the existing systems to be entirely ineffective, extraordinarily expensive, and far too unreliable, unprofitable, and time consuming to employ. Moreover, anecdotal experiences demonstrate that past attempts have been eclipsed by large, online entities that unfairly control and consume nearly all available bandwidth for such media communications.

Other technical problems that persist in the management of mobile communications systems have arisen from the need for mobile devices to use new tools to block unwanted, unpredictable, and sometimes malicious media content from being communicated to mobile devices from otherwise legitimate sources. As an example, many mobile devices have been inundated with seemingly random media content when such devices are being used to communicate with other devices and resources across the internet and World Wide Web.

As a result of the deluge of such undesirable media, mobile devices as well as static devices have adopted new technology that prevents such undesirable media from being communicated to the mobile devices. Unfortunately, however, this new blocking technology cannot distinguish important or otherwise desirable media from the unwanted or malicious media. In turn, the mobile devices are then impaired in that they cannot receive possibly needed media and programming code bundled with that media in bundled data or data streams, and thus the mobile or static devices lose or suffer from degradation of needed functionality.

What continues to be needed but otherwise unavailable is a system that enables more precise media communications with mobile and static communications devices and electronics. The mobile, internet, and world wide web communications industry would be favorably disrupted and benefit tremendously from new systems and methods that enable mobile system communications with targeted media that can be directed as a function of geographic location as well as a measure of media relevancy to the targeted mobile devices.

The field of mobile communications would very likely be receptive to new capabilities that enable mobile communication of media having amplified relevancy measures that take advantage of predetermined preferences, which might ideally include categories of interest, and even favorite items of interest to individually configured mobile devices and electronics. Such technical improvements would enable mobile, static, and other electronic devices to avoid impaired or degraded operational capabilities.

Enabling unimpaired and optimized media communications to such devices would also ensure that needed programming code and related information could reach these devices in an efficient and timely way because the mobile devices could avoid having to use the media blocking technologies. More preferably, even if such blocking technologies remain, the long sought improvements should create new capabilities and technologies that enable important, targeted, and more precise media communications and code and related information bundled into the media communication data streams, to bypass or avoid the blocking technologies and reach the mobile and other electronic devices.

A need also continues to persist to enable information requests, messages, and/or queries to be communicated, parsed, and associated with subject matter categories of interest that have a high probability of being relevant to the original request, query, and/or message. This capability should enable the mobile and static devices to identify and retrieve needed information, and to receive desired, important, and related media communications that can be obtained despite media blocking technologies. It is further desired to enable the capability for website and network site operators to be

notified when such queries may relate to the subject matter relevant to them, and to generate and receive communications and media in reply and relevant to the queries. The previously described geotargeting and amplified relevancy capabilities should also be compatible for use in generating and receiving such communications and media.

## **BRIEF SUMMARY**

An improved system and method for mobile communications management includes a directory search monitor that is configured to receive one or more of a static entity request, which contains at least a static location, and a dynamic entity request having at least a dynamic location. These requests may include many forms and data structures and may also be queries and messages. A mobile entity monitor is also included and coupled to and communicates with the directory search monitor, and other system components.

The mobile entity monitor is configured to receive a mobile entity request that has at least a temporal mobile location, which includes at least time and location data. The static, dynamic, and temporal mobile locations each also may include with the location data, embedded geographic location coordinates or other geographic location data. The mobile 25 entity monitor may also be configured to receive predetermined categories of interest and one or more favorite categories or websites, in connection with, as part of, and or independently from receiving the temporal mobile location and related time and location data.

The system and method also includes a media server that communicates with the directory search and mobile entity monitors, and the other components and elements of the methods and system. The media server is configured to receive at least one of the dynamic, static, and mobile entity 35 requests and to communicate these static, dynamic, and mobile request with location data to other components of the system and method.

Among other capabilities, the media server receives, stores, and retrieves a large variety of continuously updated, 40 geotargeted media to establish a plurality of different geotargeted media. Such geotargeted media can include images, graphics, text, location, and or region targeting information, multimedia information such as video and audio, among other types of data. The media server retrieves and communicates such media from the plurality and composites and or precisely positions and arranges one or more of the plurality of media into combination data streams or data bundles.

The media is also configured to receive geotargeted media having a media push tag that can be included in metadata with 50 the geotargeted media, or which can be encoded or otherwise embedded as part of the geotargeted media data and information. The push tag preferably includes a dated time limit and a discrete impression count. The dated time limit can be used by the media server to specify a time period during which the geotargeted media can be communicated, and where at times outside the time period, the geotargeted media can be deemed expired. The impression count can be used by the media server to only communicate the geotargeted media a certain number of times, where after it is deemed exhausted.

The data bundles communicated by the media server embed, among other information, the plurality of different geotargeted media into the data stream or data bundles so that the media includes among other data, attributes of style, format, position, encoding, and similar types of information, in 65 a pre-rendered format or arrangement before communicating the data bundle as a response.

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In other aspects of this capability, the media server, when creating the data streams and data bundles, separately positions each media item into pre-defined positional zones about a canvas in predetermined arrangements with the at least one network site. The canvas establishes a work space wherein different formats and types of information can be placed, positioned, overlaid, and dynamically movable with respect to the canvas arrangement and configuration and other data incorporated into the data bundles and streams.

The media server is also configured to receive and or retrieve at least one network site from a host network server, to generate the one or more of the composited data bundles that embed the geotargeted media along with the at least one network site. Once embedded or packaged into the data bundles in a pre-rendered web page or similar format, the media server is adapted to communicate the one or more composited data bundles as responses to the requests, queries, and or messages. The media server is also preferably configured to optionally communicate the composited data bundles directly to at least one of the directory search and mobile entity monitors, and or other elements and components of the system and method.

A geocoder is also included in the method and system, and may be coupled to, a part of, and or in communication with the media server, or other system components. Preferably, among other capabilities, the geocoder is configured to receive a geographic location, grid identifier, coordinates, or other type of geographic location information in any of many possible forms, which can also include street addresses, zip codes, and place names such as cities, towns, neighborhoods, boroughs, counties that can be converted to a geographic location and approximate coordinate. In complementary aspects, the geocoder is also customized to convert any received locations, for example, the static, dynamic, and temporal mobile locations from one type or format of geographic location data or coordinates to another.

The geocoder is further configured to upon receipt, generate for each dynamic, static, and temporal mobile location, a geozone designator, which may more preferably be at least one of respective static, dynamic, mobile, and temporal mobile geozone designators. The geocoder incorporates the capability to use the received locations and the respectively generated geozone designator, to generate a grid of geozones of nearby geographic locations. More specifically, the geocoder uses the received locations and generated designators, to generate a grid of equal area isometric and adjacently arranged and positioned geozones each having respectively assigned geozone designators.

The geocoder-generated grid is arranged to include a centrally positioned geozone that includes the received location, which has the generated geozone designator. In other words, each geozone of the generated grid is assigned a calculated, respective unique geozone designator, which for the received location(s), is the grid-central or centrally positioned, geozone of the received location, with its corresponding geozone designator.

It is also preferred that the geocoder generate the equal area geozone grids to have isometric, predetermined polygonal and or rectilinear dimensions that circumscribe and define the area of each resulting polygon or geozone. The media server is also configured to receive, retrieve, and communicate the geotargeted media and network site keys that are proximate or nearby some predetermined distance to the received locations.

Both the geotargeted media and the network site keys are selected and retrieved if they have location data that establishes proximity within a preferred, established, or predeter-

mined proximity range to the received static, dynamic, and temporal mobile locations. Such proximity or geographic relevance is established if the location data of the network site keys and or the geotargeted media have a geozone or geographic identifier that equals the geozone or geographic des- 5 ignator (of the static, dynamic, and temporal mobile locations) of any of the geozones of the generated grid, which includes the received location(s).

Preferably, the location data of the network site keys and or the geotargeted media is communicated to the geocoder, 10 which generates the geographic or geozone identifier, and then rapidly compares it with geographic or geozone designators (of the static, dynamic, and temporal mobile locations) of the generated geozones of the grid. Once such geotargeted media and network site keys are retrieved after and responsive 15 to the rapid comparison, those media and keys having the established, preferred, or predetermined proximity or proximity range are communicated by the media server in a response to the requests, queries and or messages.

In a summarized example, the received static, dynamic, 20 and or temporal mobile locations are communicated to the geocoder, which respectively computes or generates the grid of geozones each having geozone or geographic designators. The locations for the geotargeted media and network sites keys are also communicated to the geocoder, which generates 25 the media/site key geozone identifiers. The geocoder then compares the identifiers (media and network sites) to the designators (static, dynamic, temporal mobile locations), and ascertains proximity, distance, range, or range of proximities between the identifiers and designators.

The media server also contemplates configurations that generate, store, retrieve, communicate, and calculate a weighting for the geotargeted media and the network site keys and related information, which enables various media and retrieved network sites to be compared to others for purposes 35 repository. of establishing relevancy of the media. The relevancy determination is made by comparing aspects of the media and network sites to the received locations, categories, and other information received by the media server.

In contrast and in other exemplary configurations, the 40 weighting calculation may also be configured to prevent communication of unwanted or otherwise prohibited geotargeted media. For example, it may be desired that geotargeted media of certain types, categories, and having certain locations should not be communicated in response to certain requests, 45 queries, and or messages. For a specifically requested network site, the media server may be configured whereby geotargeted media is selected from a group of geotargeted media such that each media item has a media category identifier that is not equal to the category identifier of the network site.

The systems and methods also contemplate similar capabilities wherein categories that are defined to be relevant to one another can be identified by the media server as the weighting is calculated. The media server enables these aspects by incorporating a relevancy cross-table that maps 55 host network server enables communication of the network each individual category in a discrete array to all other categories, using a category relevancy parameter. The category relevancy parameter can be "zero" when two individual categories are deemed to irrelevant to one another, and can be higher than zero depending upon the predetermined degree of 60 relevance there between.

Where the mapping or scan results in no matches or similarities, the calculated weighting is lower. Where the scan or mapping finds matches or similarities, the calculated weighting is higher. When the calculated weighting is higher than or 65 exceeds a weighting threshold, the geotargeted media and or network site key is communicated by the media server.

The system and method also further incorporates a host network server that is coupled to and in communication with the media server, the directory search and mobile entity monitors, and other elements of the system and methods. The host network server receives, normalizes, parses, stores, retrieves, and communicates network site information, and is configured, among many various capabilities, to generate unique network site keys, and to also communicate to and receive from the media server the geotargeted media and the network site keys.

The host network server is further configured to retrieve the network site data to combine with the media push tags received from the media server as is described elsewhere herein, which have the noted time limit and impression count. The media server is configured to communicate the media push tags directly to the host network server, or any of the other components of the system and method.

In this exemplary arrangement, the media server is also adapted to retrieve and to generate the above-described weighting for the geotargeted media, by also calculating the relevancy parameter using an elapsed time within the time limit and expended impression count from the impression count. In this way, the media server can retrieve and communicate geotargeted media in response to requests, queries, and or message, more often when there are unexhausted impression counts and a limited and unexpired amount of time left in the time limit to expend those impression counts.

The host-network-server-received network site information also may include location data and coordinates, category data and identifiers, and other types of identifiers and information related to the network site information. The network site keys are initially generated by the host network server and or its components and subsystems, and the keys are used to rapidly look-up network site information from a network site

The host network server uses the keys to rapidly retrieve from the network site repository, at least one network site that matches at least one of the network keys. With the retrieved at least one network site, the host network server, like the media server, can generate one or more composited data bundles or data streams embedding the geotargeted media with the at least one network site and with any other text and multimedia and can include messages, into a pre-rendered webpage or similar format or arrangement or configuration.

Once the host network server combines or composites the disparate data into one or more data bundles, the host network server is also configured to communicate the one or more composited data bundles as direct responses and or reply messages to the requests, queries, and or messages. The host network server is further adapted to communicate the composited data bundles directly to at least one of the media server, directory search, mobile entity monitors, and other components of the system and method.

To enable further aspects of the systems and methods, the site keys to the media server with the location data. The media server is also adapted to receive the keys and location data, and to enable or communicate with the geocoder to convert the respective locations into geozone identifiers. The media server is also capable of using the geozone identifiers in searches and comparisons, and can store for later retrieval or communication the network site keys with the location data.

The method and system also includes the host network server further including a network site key and value storage system that establishes unique network site keys mapped to each of a plurality of hosted network sites. The host network server key-and-value-storage-system is adapted so that the

values may contain a plurality of data types, and so that the stored key and values data may be stored in various efficient ways that ensure optimized response speed, data retention durability and replication and backup, and efficiently optimized storage and longer term data replication.

More preferably, the host network server key and value storage system is configured to avoid the impediments of legacy database and indexing systems. Preferably, the host network server is configured to be optimized for fast response times, while maintaining data durability using snap-shotting 10 or semi-persistent storage techniques, which can employ data sharding and other optimization techniques if desired for the various possible storage and retrieval configurations.

In other optionally preferred configurations, the key-value storage system can be adapted wherein the host network 15 server is configured to generate unique network site data keys uniquely using various methods to avoid generated key collisions, including hashing, which are often also referred to as hash functions, codes, and sums. In certain alternative or preferred arrangements, it may be more appropriate to enable 20 the quick key lookup capabilities by generating unique keys using perfect hash functions.

In some aspects, the systems and methods contemplate generating the keys for the key-value pairs using network site resource locaters (URLs) or client-side URLs (cURLs), which may contain the information needed to uniquely, rapidly, and easily identify a network site and detailed or specific elements thereof during configuration, operation, and use of the system and methods.

In still other respects, the host network server is configured to receive or retrieve the network site data with a category data identifier, and to receive with the static, dynamic, and temporal mobile requests, queries, and or messages, and respective static, dynamic, and mobile predetermined category and 35 favorite preferences. These predetermined category and favorite preferences may be communicated to the media server, for use in calculating the weightings and relevancy parameters.

In these additionally aspects of the host network server 40 configurations, the media server is further configured to retrieve and generate or calculate the weighting for the geotargeted media using this additional information. More specifically, the media server calculates the weighting with a geotargeting parameter generated from the static, dynamic, 45 and temporal mobile locations. The media server also calculates the weighting with a relevancy parameter generated from the predetermined category and favorite preferences, and a predetermined array of categories which maps or scans the relevancy parameter to a plurality of category data iden- 50 tifiers. Those geotargeted media items that have calculated weightings exceeding the weighting threshold are then identified to be queued for communication in response to the requests, queries, and or messages.

Additional configurations of the mobile media communi- 55 cation system and methods also may include a management server that is configured to manage resources across the system and during operation of the methods. The management server is further adapted to enable data acquisition including network site data and information. The management server 60 may also be configured with the capability to normalize and store the acquired data, and to enable communication of the network site data and related information to and from the various system components and in the methods of operation.

The management server may be preferably configured to 65 manage a specific and predetermined, limited geographic region for the mobile media management system and meth-

ods, and may be replicated for use in adjacent and remotely located geographic regions. The management server is coupled to and configured to communicate with the media server, the host network server, and the directory search and mobile entity monitors, among other components and elements of the systems and method. It is also configured to receive media having geotargeting locations, category data. and related information, and to communicate such to and from the other system components.

The management server may also be configured with, include, and or be coupled to a data analytics and informatics capability or engine, which can be adapted for communication with the other system components to enable information collection and analysis. The system and method also contemplates one or more system components to be coupled with, in communication with, and or incorporating one or more external and internal and or intra-network domain controllers or internet name servers, which are configured to map, store, lookup, retrieve, and communicate local and remote names and addresses, and internet routing for network sites of the system and methods of the mobile communications management systems, and related systems.

The mobile media communication system and methods is information addresses, such as internet and web style uniform 25 also configured in certain aspects to operate with, include, and enable a mobile application, which is configured to periodically communicate with the host network, directory search, management, and media servers, and the mobile entity monitor, and the other components of the system and methods. The mobile application is also configured, among other capabilities, to periodically and on demand to retrieve a temporal location with geographic coordinates and or related data, to store predetermined category and favorite preferences, and to periodically communicate the temporal location as a temporal mobile location, and the predetermined prefer-

> Among other configurations and arrangements, the predetermined preferences can be preset in the mobile application and can be communicated to the mobile from any of the other components of the system and method, including preferably the mobile application monitor. In any of the configurations and arrangements of the mobile application, it is configured to be downloaded to and to operate on any of a number of ubiquitous static, portable, mobile, and hand-held electronic devices, and to be compatible for use with a variety of electronic device hardware and software, and operating systems and environments.

> In other aspects of example implementations of the mobile communications management system and methods, the system includes a plurality of computer processors, transient memories and non-transient computer-readable storage media, network subsystems and interfaces, user interfaces and displays, and communications capabilities. These components and subsystems are in part collocated, and are also configured in well-known geographically disparate, cloudbased arrangements that enable optimized and on-demand resource allocation, reliability, resilience, and system-wide durability, using a variety of wide-available information technology architectures and implementations.

> In other exemplary arrangements, a mobile media communications system includes a request, message, or query entity extractor, which is executable on one or more processors that are coupled to a memory and a network. The query, message, or request entity extractor is configured to receive and shallow-parse a query, message, or request that has, among other data, a source IP address, into shallowly parsed extracted entities.

A geofencer is also incorporated and is in communication with the query entity extractor. The geofencer is configured to lookup a geographic location with the source IP address using internal, external, and combination systems and databases that report a location that is associated with the source IP 5 address, and other related information. The geofencer is also arranged to generate a geofence that is defined by a grid having a perimeter, wherein the grid is formed from adjacent equal area isometric geozones surrounding a centrally positioned geozone as a grid-center that includes the location, as 10 described elsewhere herein. Preferably, each geozone has a respective unique geozone designator.

A faceting searcher is included to be in communication with the query entity extractor and is configured to search predetermined category domains with the extracted entities, 15 wherein each domain includes at least items, services, and locations. The faceting searcher is also adapted to generate a one-to-many category array for each extracted entity that associates one or more categories of the predetermined category domains to each extracted entity. The faceting searcher may also be configured to generate, with the location and extracted entities and associated category arrays, a conflated query array that includes the extracted entities, the category array, and a query confidence probability for each category array element.

The faceting searcher is further configured to search a host network site repository and server and a plurality of network sites with the grid and conflated query array, and to retrieve one or more network site keys within the grid perimeter and an associated relevancy probability calculated as a function of 30 the number of retrieved network site keys having associated categories that match those of the category arrays of the conflated query.

The media server described elsewhere herein is in communication the faceting searcher and directory search monitor, 35 and as already described in part, is configured to retrieve and communicate targeted media having (a) geozone identifiers that are within the grid perimeter and (b) categories that match at least one of the category arrays of the conflated ouery.

The host network site repository and server are also incorporated and is in communication with the media server and the faceting searcher, and configured to, among other capabilities, retrieve from the network site repository one or more network sites respectively matching the one or more network 45 keys, generate one or more composited data bundles embedding the targeted media with the one or more network sites, and communicate one or more of the conflated query array with the one or more composited data bundles.

As the host network site repository is configured, communicating the one or more conflated query array and the composited data bundles may in certain configurations, be in response to the query, and may also be in response to a predetermined sequence of unrelated operations. The one or more conflated query array may be adapted to include sending the one or more conflated query array and the composited data bundles (a) in reply to the query, and (b) also to at least one of an entity and a network site operator as part of one or more push notifications.

The host network site repository and server is arranged to 60 be in communication with the media server and the faceting searcher, and is configured to receive a response to the one or more push notifications from the entity, and to communicate the response to the network site operator. The host network server may also be configured to receive a response to the one 65 or more push notifications from the network site operator, and to communicate the response to the entity.

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The mobile media communications system may be further configured wherein the query further includes a no-geo-limit parameter, and wherein the geofencer is further configured to lookup a geographic region in response to the no-geo-limit, and to generate the geofence grid perimeter to surround the geographic region.

Any of the configurations of the mobile media communications system may be further modified to include a directory search monitor in place of and/or operable as part of and/or in combination with the faceting searcher, and similar to those arrangements described elsewhere herein. This directory search monitor is configured to search the network site repository and server and a plurality of network sites with the grid and conflated query array, and to retrieve the one or more network site keys and to generate an associated relevancy probability calculated as a function of the network site keys having a number of categories that match those of the category arrays of the conflated query.

In this variation, the media server is in communication with both the faceting searcher and directory search monitor, and is configured similarly to prior arrangements, to retrieve targeted media having geozone identifiers that are within the grid perimeter and categories that match at least one of the category arrays of the conflated query, and to embed the retrieved targeted media in a data wrapper. The instant configuration is similarly arranged with the host network server in communication with the media server and the faceting searcher, as well as the directory search monitor. In various other arrangements, the host network server is configured to perform one or more capabilities and functions of one or more of the other components.

This summary of the implementations and configurations of the mobile media communications system is intended to introduce a selection of concepts in a simplified and less technically detailed arrangement, which concepts are further described in more detail below in the detailed description. This summary is not intended to identify key features or essential features of the claimed subject matter, nor is it intended to be used as an aid in determining the scope of the claimed subject matter. The features, functions, capabilities, and advantages discussed here may be achieved independently in various example implementations or may be combined in yet other example implementations, as further described in part elsewhere herein, and which may also be better understood by those skilled and knowledgeable in the relevant fields of technology, with reference to the following description and drawings.

## BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS

A more complete understanding of example configurations, adaptations, arrangements, and implementations of the present disclosure may be derived by referring to the detailed description and claims when considered with the following figures. In these figures, identical and like reference numbers refer to similar elements throughout the figures. The figures are provided to facilitate understanding of the disclosure without limiting the breadth, scope, scale, or applicability of the disclosure. The drawings are not necessarily made to scale, and are made to further inform those skilled in the field in the context of the written description and claims.

FIG. 1 is an illustration of a mobile communications management system and method in accordance with exemplary configurations and implementations;

FIG. 2 is an illustration of components of the system and method of FIG. 1, and in accordance with further exemplary implementations and arrangements of the system;

FIG. 3 is an illustration of the example implementations of FIGS. 1 and 2 and including various additional technical details illustrating further capabilities of the system;

FIG. 4 is an illustration of the configurations of FIGS. 1, 2, and 3 and including further detailed examples and alternative arrangements of the system; and

FIG. 5 is an illustration of the example implementations of certain aspects the preceding figures, and also illustrates details of other capabilities and methods of the system as well as examples of hardware and software configurations that 10 enable various other aspects the systems and methods.

## DETAILED DESCRIPTION

The following detailed description is exemplary and is not 15 intended to limit the disclosure, the claims, or the demonstrative implementations and uses of the present disclosure. Descriptions of specific devices, techniques, and applications for use and operation are provided only as examples. Modifications to the examples described herein should be readily 20 apparent to those of ordinary skill in the art, and the general principles defined herein may be applied to other configurations and arrangements without departing from the spirit and scope of the disclosure. Furthermore, there is no intention to be bound by any expressed or implied theory presented in the 25 preceding descriptions of the field of technology, background, summary, or the following detailed description. The present disclosure should be accorded scope consistent with the claims, and not limited to the examples described and shown herein.

Example and representative configurations, adaptations, and implementations of the present disclosure may be described herein in terms of specific hardware and software, architectures, and by way of physical, functional, and or logical systems, subsystems, components, and various processing steps and methods of operation. It should be appreciated that such representative and schematic figures and diagrams may be realized by any number of hardware, software, and or firmware components configured to enable, implement, and perform the specified capabilities and functions.

For the sake of brevity, conventional techniques and components related to use during operations, and other functional aspects of the systems (and the individual operating components of the systems), may be described here only with 45 enough technical detail so as to enable those with ordinary knowledge, skill, and ability in the technical field to practice the implementations. In addition, those skilled in the art will appreciate that example implementations of the present disclosure may be practiced in conjunction with a variety of 50 hardware, software, networked, world-wide-web-based, internet-based, and cloud-based configurations of the mobile media communication system, which may further incorporate various combinations of such implementations.

As should be understandable to those with ordinary skill in 55 the art, after reading this description, the following are examples and example implementations of the present disclosure, and are not limited to operating only in accordance with these examples. Other implementations may be realized and utilized, and changes may be made without departing 60 from the scope of the example implementations presented herein.

With reference now to the various figures and illustrations and specifically to FIG. 1, a system and method for mobile media communication 100 is described, which is imple-65 mented on at least one computer system having one or more processors coupled to and in communication with networks

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and user interfaces, and transient memories, and non-transient storage mediums, and other components of the system. This arrangement of the system for mobile media communication 100 includes, among other components and systems, a directory search monitor 110 coupled to and in communication with a mobile entity monitor 200, a media server 300, a geocoder 400, a host network site repository and server 500, a management server 600, a remote management server 610, an inter-regional server 700, and a mobile application 800.

Each of these cooperatively interconnected components incorporates various additional components and subsystems that enable the capabilities and innovations of the system 100. Further, the exemplary system 100 in this representative arrangement is further thereby enabled to interact with various external systems, components, and entities that may include information technologists such as systems operators and administrators, system users and customers such as customer support personnel, business owners.

The system 100 is further configured to enable use by and communication with and between such customers and business owners directly with targeted consumers using any electronic devices. Such consumers are able to interact directly with the business owners across various mobile media communications systems that are compatible for use with their respective electronic devices, whether such are desktop computers, laptops, hand-held devices, tablets, or mobile phones.

The system 100 is optimized to enable the consumers to rapidly receive geotargeted media that they may self-identify as being of interest or a favorite, as well as relevancy-amplified geotargeted media that is automatically selected and communicated as a function of such self-identification. Further, the system 100 is implemented to enable business owners to rapidly create dedicated network sites that communicate essential business information, and to directly and quickly communicate new media and information pushed to these consumers in a controlled, geotargeted way that has never before been available. Additionally, as is described in more technical detail below, the system 100 further enables both the business owners and interested consumers to avoid the many pitfalls presently encountered by preventing unwanted, irrelevant, and potentially conflicting or even possibly harmful media from being communicated between the business-owner system-customers and the interested con-

The mobile media communication system 100 is implemented to configure the management server 600 to be designated as a regional management server 600 that is located within or configured to communicate optimally within a specifically defined geographic region. In this way, the system 100 may be replicated to operate in service of various geographic regions, which further enables balancing of resource and operational loads. The regionally configured system 100 is adapted to be operationally managed by the management server 600, and to communicate with similarly configured, geographically remote regional servers 610, to ensure the system 100 performs optimally within each designated geographic region.

To further optimize regional and inter-regional use, operation, and management of the internal and inter-regional infrastructure that support system 100, the inter-regional management server 700 is preferably configured to primarily manage the operational use and resource loads of the regionally adapted management servers 600, 610. This configuration also enables business owners with greater geographic reach to replicate media communications with consumers across different geographic regions with greater ease, and enables the complementary aspect wherein the remote consumers are

more easily able to communicate with business owners across the regions. This further enables such consumers to communicate with business owners located in areas where the consumers may intend to prospectively travel.

In each of these contemplated arrangements, the system 100 is adapted wherein the regional management servers 600, 610 and the inter-regional management server or servers 700 may be operated and maintained by respective regional technical support engineers and administrators RA and their interregional counterparts IRA. The business owners and their support engineering, service, and marketing personnel and administrators BA are able to employ system 100 though one or more system capabilities available through their desktop, laptop, mobile, and many other electronic devices through any of the regionally-centric management servers 600.

To optimize the capability for the system 100 to manage millions of business owner network sites for communication to millions of consumers, the regional and inter-regional management servers 600, 610, 700, enable, incorporate, manage, and or control one or more external and internal and or intra-network domain controllers or internet name servers (DC/NS) 605, 705. Theses DCs and NSs 605,705, are adapted to map, store, lookup, retrieve, and communicate local and remote names and addresses, and internet routing for network sites of the system 100, and related systems. Moreover, these name servers/domain controllers can also be configured to communicate with other externals systems such as top-level name servers, which can further improve network site and media communication response times.

The system 100 may be further modified to include or communicate with one or more network, internet, web log (blog), and or discussion or informational, frequently asked question (FAQ) systems 615. These can also be managed by and or coupled with the system 100 through the management 35 servers 600, 610, 700.

It is often desirable to acquire and analyze system performance and to ascertain patterns of use, and statistics and demographics of users. The system 100 can implement and or communicate and utilize any number of geolocation, fraud 40 prevention, informatics, and data analytics (DA) tools and systems 620. Some useful and well-known systems include the proprietary Google Analytics, MaxMind, KISSmetrics, Clicky, Moz, and the free open source tools PIWIK, IP2Location, StatCounter, and OWA—Open Web Analytics. 45

The media server 300 is alternatively configurable to communicate through the management servers 600, 610, 700, and or directly with the DA informatics engine 620 to accumulate data and statistics 630 and data on responses and or messages of entities D, S, M to communicated media 305, network sites 505, and search requests or queries or messages included in the received requests or queries or messages 120, 130, 140. The media server 300 analyzes the accumulated data and statistics to adjust the weightings 370 of communicated media 305 and network sites 505, as described elsewhere 55 herein

The system 100 also enables exemplary implementations of the directory search monitor 110 that interface externally to communicate with dynamic entities D and static entities S, which can be remote, external systems including desktop 60 computers, laptops, tablets, hand-held devices, mobile phones, and the many other portable electronic devices. Preferably, the directory search monitor 110 hosts an externally-facing website or internet or application as a service (IaaS, AaaS) capability that monitors for requests, queries, and or 65 messages, from internet web browser systems requesting network sites from the system 100.

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Additionally, the system 100 further enables configurations of the mobile entity monitor 200 with an interface to the mobile application 800, wherein the mobile entity monitor 200 can be hosted and operational on a centrally hosted system as part of the other internal components of system 100. The mobile application 800 is preferably hosted on a mobile entity M, which among other possible devices, can be a mobile or portable electronic device. As can be understood by those knowledgeable in this technology area, the mobile application 800 is contemplated here in the singular for purposes of example and detailed technical illustration, but in operation is enabled as a plurality of thousands and even millions of such applications 800 hosted on various electronic devices.

In any of the various implementations of the mobile media communication system 100, it is desirable to employ an optimized infrastructure and system architecture that enables consistent, persistent, on-demand performance, and information durability. More specifically, the preferred architecture for system 100 incorporates a hybridized cloud-based infrastructure, wherein the various components and subsystems of the mobile media communication system 100 may be individually configured to self-optimize as demand for processing power, storage, retrieval, data replication, communications, and backup increase and decrease within the geographic region served by each regionally designated systems 100

The contemplated hybridized cloud-based infrastructure and architecture of the mobile media communication system 100 can be achieved in part using any of a number of commercially available cloud service providers (CSPs). Such CSPs enable various types of cloud-based infrastructures that range from individualized servers and virtual machines, to scalable enterprise storage and network communication systems. Each such arrangement can be configured with dedicated, on-demand, and combination configurations of processors, storage, communications bandwidth, and related systems, having guaranteed minimum response times, and data durability and persistence.

Many such capabilities are often configured in several aspects as service oriented architectures (SoAs) with infrastructure as a service (IaaS networks, communications, storage), platforms as a service (PaaS processors and virtual machines running preselected operating systems as pre-configured platforms), integration PaaS (platforms custom integrated with various IaaS, SaaS subsystems), and sometimes having on-demand software (SW) as a service (SaaS) licensing options. The most well-known CSPs and products include Microsoft's Azure, Amazon's Web Service (AWS), Google Cloud, Rackspace Cloud, and Hewlett-Packard (HP) Helion (formerly Cloud Compute and Public Cloud).

For purposes of the mobile media communication system 100, the preferred hybrid cloud system includes the system 100 established as customized, dedicated SoA components implemented on virtual machines and coupled by dedicated communications links in a secure, virtual private network (VPN) IaaS environment managed by the inter-regional and regional management servers 600, 610, 700, using the domain controllers/name servers 605, 705 to map the VPN intra-network private domain space between the management servers 600, 610, 700 and the directory search monitor 110, the mobile entity monitor 200, the media server 300, the geocoder 400, and the host network site repository and server 500. Preferably, the mobile applications 800 communicate with the system 100 and establish secure VPN and or SSL and non-secure open connections, as appropriate for various

modes of operation, with the mobile entity monitor 200 and other system 100 components.

In addition to this hybrid cloud network communications infra-structure, the system 100 is also preferably configured with the SoA server components having well-formed MVC or 5 model, view, control underlying architectures that employ robust server-side PHP: hypertext frameworks. More specifically, the SoA aspect of the architecture ensures that the components of system 100 are a collection of services communicating with one another to enable rapid load balancing wherein high demand for services can be met essentially within an instant, with duplicate service images being spawned across the iPaaS SoA system 100.

In contrast, as demand wanes, unneeded duplicate services can be quickly terminated and the resources abandoned so as 15 to minimize costs. Here, the system 100 uses the classical definitions of SoA services wherein each service, whether it be an operating server or monitor, or a constituent subsystem or service thereof, is well-defined, self-contained, and does not depend upon the context or state of other services, 20 whether they be duplicate, complementary, cooperative, or a service that sources, consumes, or modifies information from others.

The system 100 and components servers and monitors are preferably enabled using any of a number of internet and web 25 application frameworks, and convenient combination thereof. Some of the more well-known frameworks have been found to work especially well for purposes of implementing the system 100. For example, while a number of proprietary and open source frameworks have been demonstrated to be 30 effective, the frameworks that embrace and enable C++, Java and JavaScript, PHP, and the many well-support user communities are recommended for purposes of the system 100.

Preferably, the Phalcon, Laravel, CodeIgniter, Yii, and Symfony and Symfony 2 PHP frameworks have enabled the 35 contemplated system 100 to be configured in new ways that vastly improve response times, high & low-demand scalability, and the ability to incorporate back-end data management and VPN/public domain network communications infrastructures. Of particular import, the system 100 in its various 40 configurations has benefited from the expandability of these frameworks, which enable highly customizable aspects for greatly improved use of complementary technologies.

Such complementary technologies used for purposes of implementing system 100, include, using Symfony as an 45 illustrative example without limitation, AJAX (asynchronous JavaScript and XML[extensible markup language]), HTML and CSS (hypertext markup language and cascaded style sheets), MVC (model view controller), JSON (JavaScript object notation), and DOM (document object model) classes 50 that enable improved dynamic display of data for improved user interactions.

The system 100 and its components make efficient use of what those skilled in this field know as an XMLHttpRequest object, which enables the mobile application 800 and its users 55 to experience markedly improved speed and response times, even on slow mobile communications networks. The XMLHttpRequest enables asynchronous data exchange without the need for full page reloads, between the mobile application 800 and the system 100 components that include 60 the directory search monitor 110, the mobile entity monitor 200, the media server 300, the geocoder 400, and the host network site repository and server 500.

The mobile application **800** and the system **100** components and subsystems also are configured to further improve 65 speed and reliability in preferred configurations that specifically employ the MVC sub-framework to incorporate the

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DRY (do not repeat yourself) coding philosophy, which when combined with the independence of each SoA service ensures a much more reliable fault-tolerant system 100 wherein primary, secondary, tertiary, and other duplicate spawned services, can fail safely and be terminated, without any effect on other services, which operate independently. In this way, if a service is operating as a supplier or a consumer of data and resources from another service that fails, the supplier or consumer services can simply renew their request(s), which can then be met by another operating service without delay.

As a further example, again using the Symfony framework as an illustrative example without intent to limitation the scope of the system 100 as claimed, the various system 100 servers and monitors, including the directory search monitor 110, the mobile entity monitor 200, the media server 300, the geocoder 400, and the host network site repository and server 500, are thus able to incorporate a number of very effective, high-speed, highly-reconfigurable, back-end data storage technologies.

One of the various problems that persist in the implementation and use of mobile media communication systems, such as system 100, is that the data requested by applications, such as mobile application 800, changes rapidly: the rapid change or high data volatility occurs from both the server side wherein new data that is responsive to a particular request changes due to source data changes, and the data that the application 800 seeks changes as the requests change.

As a result of the many changes to data, each of the system 100 components, including the directory search monitor 110, the mobile entity monitor 200, the media server 300, the geocoder 400, and the host network site repository and server 500, must incorporate the capability to accommodate the continuously changing data and the requirement to rapidly communicate the data in its present state with the lowest possible latency, all while preventing data loss (optimized reliability) and while enabling data protection (maintaining data durability). Many such data management and storage technologies exist that could be incorporated for purposes of enabling system 100.

Persons knowledgeable in the field of data storage technologies have come to understand that legacy proprietary and open source database technologies such as hierarchical and relational databases experience short-comings when used in applications with high data volatility where data changes continuously and must be communicated in a present state rapidly on-demand. Hierarchical databases organize data into tree-like structures with tables of records connected by links between tables. Relational databases (RDBs) and RDB management systems (RDBMSs) typically offer less than optimal performance in such environments. RDBs are characterized in that they store data and information about how the data is related in flat, two dimensional tables that embody the relationships between the data.

While many tables can be used in such databases to define such links and relationships, a query and or message request can take too much time to process, as the engine traverses the various tables, links, and relationships, to generate a response. Even though some attempts have been made to improve response times, such as by implementing structured query language (SQL) schemas or paradigms, such attempts have been implemented without any single standard approach, which has made it challenging to use such technologies. These issues have become even more pronounced with the exponential rise of requirements for more real-time capable database systems that are needed for mobile media applications such the mobile media communication system 100 and its complementary mobile application 800.

This is mostly because every resultant SQL-compliant database has adopted its own interpretation of the generic SQL schema, and thus has its own set of peculiarities, benefits and shortcomings, which in combination still have not enabled use for the high-rate data change and communication 5 requirements of the present system 100. Such shortcomings have given rise to a new paradigm of non-relational databases, which are often referred to as NoSQL databases (known as both No SQL and Not Only SQL). The NoSQL databases organize data using methods other than the table, link, rela-10 tionship, SQL legacy constructs, yet maintain some aspects of compatibility with legacy SQL query constructs. These new NoSQL technologies are also well-suited to the on-demand, lack-of-demand up and down scalability preferred in the IaaS, PaaS, iPaaS, cloud-based architectures preferred for use in 15 the present system 100.

For example, many types of open-source, distributed, NoSQL technologies are presently available and are readily adapted for use in the real-time, high-demand, system 100. There are four primary types of such NoSQL system that 20 include document, column, key-value, and graph technologies. What has been found to be most effective for purposes for purposes of system 100 are the "key-value" class of NoSQL databases, which include a number of well-known proprietary and open source systems: Aerospike, Founda- 25 tionDB, MemcacheDB, Dynamo, Redis, Teradata, Cassandra, and Riak, among others. For illustrative purposes in technically describing the system 100, the open source Redis key-value database is contemplated here, as it has developed a large support community, and many application program- 30 ming interfaces (APIs) that enable use with a variety of complementary technologies, such as the PHP web application frameworks described elsewhere herein.

In combination with these various types of NoSQL keyvalue systems, the system 100 is also found to be vastly 35 improved when its various components are configured to incorporate various document oriented databases to capture and retain various media in improved, binary encoded formats. Such database structures and formats are susceptible to high-speed storage and retrieval, and which optimize resil- 40 100, it has been seen that the total data set size for the enteriency, scalability (by sharding), and related performance capabilities described herein. For example, document oriented database systems such as MongoDB with its binary Javascript object notation or BJSON or BSON document oriented database is of particular value, as are similarly 45 capable systems that include for purposes of example, Couchbase, Apache CouchDB, RavenDB, and Apache Jackrabbit.

Additionally, the mobile media communication system 100 is further optimized by incorporating one or more dedicated and optimized search engines that enable various com- 50 ponents of system 100 dedicated to search for data content in the noted NoSQL database systems. More specifically, the system 100 includes such dedicated search applications to enable full text search, faceted searching, and distributed searching for scalability, among capabilities. Among various 55 possible subsystems, the system 100 may incorporate or more such dedicated search engines, including for example not limitation, Elasticsearch, Solr, Splunk, and/or Marklogic, among others.

The mobile media communications system 100 has the 60 particular requirements of needing real-time or near real-time response times for communicating continuously changing media, being sourced from millions of media owners, in response to millions of requests, queries, and or messages over short periods of time between millions of dynamic and 65 static entities. These general, top-level requirements in turn generate the need to extremely fast database response times,

which often requires that the database maintain data in a cached dataset resident in high-speed random access memory (RAM) of the servers and monitors of system 100, including of course the directory search monitor 110, the mobile entity monitor 200, the media server 300, the geocoder 400, and the host network site repository and server 500.

Other derived requirements for system 100 include the need to ensure data persistence and durability even though the data must be maintained in high-speed RAM, which requires a mechanism whereby RAM-resident data can be written to a more permanent storage medium, even though the data may be continuously changing. Further, it is required that any such implementation must be compatible for use in the similarly required cloud-based iPaaS, PaaS, IaaS, and SoA architecture described elsewhere herein. This requirement ensures failsafe, automated fail-over data protections can be implemented to guarantee data preservation and request responsiveness in the face of inevitable hardware, software, and network failures.

It is also preferred that RAM and disk storage data can be accommodated in response to scalable demand in the cloudbased environment, with manageable master-slave, slavemaster RAM and disk arrangements. With the contemplated NoSQL, RAM-resident, disk-storage backed arrangement, it is also preferred that the database system enable and be readily compatible with an integral key hashing technology that enables very high-speed collision-free key generation

To implement these requirements and to enable the management, communication, storage according to the present mobile media communication system 100, we illustratively describe the system 100 components using the open source Redis NoSQL database system as an example. While meeting most of these requirements, the Redis database has been highly customizable to accommodate the system 100. However, some of those skilled in the field have determined that many RAM-resident NoSQL systems are only recommended for use with data sets that have a predictable or foreseeable

For mobile media communication systems like system prise system can be unpredictable in that high-demand times can require seemingly random high limits, while low demand times can see virtually no demand. Consequently, it has been difficult to properly predict high-demand data set sizes to enable predictive accommodation on-demand in time to prevent system overload, non-responsiveness, and catastrophic failure, which would otherwise cause the system to stop operating, until it can be restarted.

However, the mobile media communication system 100 has been implemented on the above-noted cloud systems in combination with the real-time Redis or similarly capable NoSQL database in a virtual machine (VM) clustered configuration wherein the RAM of each VM can be similarly clustered to enable the various Redis databases to be rebalanced in both the RAM resident and disk stored configurations. In the example of a Redis implementation, many auto balancing options are integrally available or easily coded to enable database volatility load and persistence requirements to drive the re-partitioning/data sharding across master-slave persistent and semi-persistent, and or snap-shotting implementations. As the database grows and shrinks as demand rises and dissipates, the hosting cloud infrastructure system are preferably configured to automatically spawn new clusters, and de-cluster and terminate unneeded VM images and RAM profiles on-demand to accommodate the needed resource loads, and to dissociate unneeded resources to minimize costs.

Described differently, in combination with the NoSQL data management capability, and on-demand up-and-down scalability of the cloud-based iPaaS, PaaS, IaaS architecture, the system 100 can replicate VMs and expand RAM upon demand (and terminate and release resources), and the Redis- 5 database-based monitors and servers of system 100 can adjust, growing and shrinking, in unlimited ways, so long as the CSP can maintain its advertised on-demand availability and scalability.

With each of these technologies, requirements, and capa- 10 bilities in mind, and with continuing reference to FIG. 1, and now also to FIG. 2, more detailed descriptions of the capabilities of the mobile media communication system 100 are explained. In operation, the directory search monitor 110 is implemented to receive simultaneous and or sequentially queued requests for data from any of a number of entities, which can include dynamic requests or queries or messages 120 from mobile or dynamic entities D, and static requests or queries or messages 130 from stationary or temporarily fixed static entities S. Typically, such requests, queries, and or 20 messages will be transmitted from an internet browser from the static and dynamic entities S, D, over an internet communications network.

For example, any off-the-shelf internet browser might be hosted on a mobile/dynamic device D or a static device S and 25 send the respective dynamic or static requests or queries or messages 120, 130 and navigate to an exemplary website having a standard uniform resource locater (URL) such as www. shopyourlocal .biz and www. searchable .com. The request would be handled initially by the respective service 30 provider, whether it be an internet service provider (ISP) hosted by a dynamic/mobile device provider such as Verizon®, Sprint®, AT&T® or another, or a land-based ISP such Time-Warner®, FIOS®, or many others.

Each or any of these ISPs would send the requested URL to 35 domain controller and or name server integrated into their respective proprietary networks, or a top-level domain name server maintained by one of the many internet backbone service providers. By any of these means, the URL would be address of 23.101.190.4, which at the time of this application is hosted by the Microsoft cloud service known presently as Azure, out of one of their Texas-based cloud infrastructure and data warehousing locations.

The directory search monitor 110 in this example would 45 respond to either request with a website data bundle encoded with various data and JavaScript code modules bundled therein that enable the XMLHttpRequest and or iframe asynchronous interactive object capabilities (depending upon whether the requesting browser enables HTLM5 or legacy 50 technologies) contemplated by the various elements of system 100, which enable portions or subframes of a composited webpage to be updated and interactively used, without the need to reload the entire website page. Preferably, each of the dynamic and static requests or queries or messages 120, 130 55 will include respective, embedded geographic locations 125, 135 of the requesting entities D, S.

If the locations are not included, and if the hosted browser and the entities S, D are so configured, the directory search monitor 110 will request and may receive the embedded 60 geographic locations 125, 135 of the entities S, D that sent the requests, queries, and or messages, which geographic locations will be communicated by the directory search monitor 110 to other components of system 100.

In the alternative, and in the absence of receiving a usable 65 geographic location 125, 135, the directory search monitor 110 may be further configured to estimate a geographic loca20

tion by reverse TCP/IP address lookup in combination with other information available to the monitor 110, which may include polling other resources for location information derivable from available browser cookies, entity MAC addresses, and public user information resources that may track such data and associate geographic information thereto. The directory search monitor 110 may also be configured to embed the received or estimated locations into the requests or queries or messages 120, 130 for communication to other components of the system 100.

The system 100 is also configured with the mobile entity monitor 200 communicatively coupled to the directory search monitor 110 and the other system components. The mobile entity monitor 200 is primarily configured to receive a mobile entity request, message, and or query 140 from a mobile entity M. The request, message, and or query 140 preferably includes a temporal mobile location 145, which includes a time, if available, as well as the geographic location data.

The time data, if available, can be used to enable further aspects of the system 100, which can be configured to timely push media to the mobile entity M when it is near certain locations of interest thereto. With capability similar to that of the directory search monitor 110, the mobile entity monitor 200 can be configured to poll for or estimate the geographic location upon receipt of the mobile request, message, and or query 140, and to embed the location however obtained or estimated into the temporal mobile location 145 for communication to other components of the system 100.

The mobile entity monitor 200 may also be configured to receive predetermined categories of interest 150 and one or more favorite categories 155 or favorite websites 160, in connection with, as part of, and or independently from receiving the temporal mobile location 145. The communication of such information from the mobile entity M is controlled thereby and may be communicated to the mobile entity monitor 200 upon request, automatically, or as may be otherwise controlled by predetermined or adjustable settings on the mobile entity M.

The mobile media communication system 100 also mapped and translated to a standard TCP/IP numerical 40 includes a media server 300 that communicates with the directory search monitor 110 and mobile entity monitor 200, and the other components of the system 100. The media server 300 is configured to receive, store, search for and identify media 305 that is geotargeted and of interest to and relevant for communication to the dynamic, static, and mobile entities D, S, M. The media server is also adapted to receive at least one of the dynamic, static, and mobile entity requests or queries or messages 120, 130, 140 and locations 125, 135, 145, and to communicate this information with embedded location coordinates and data to other components of the system 100.

> The media 305 received, stored, searched, retrieved, and communicated typically includes a large variety of volatile, continuously updated, media 305 that usually will include geographic region data and or geographic location information or data 310. The embedded or associated geographic data 310 enables the media 305 to be geotargeted for communication to the dynamic, static, and mobile entities D, S, M that may most benefit from receiving such media, and or which entities are targeted to receive such media 305. The received and stored types of media 305 create a compendium thereof and establish a plurality of different geotargeted media 315.

> Such geotargeted media 305 can include images, graphics, text, location and or geographic region data or geotargeting data or location information 310, multimedia information such as video and audio, among other types of data. In other alternative adaptations, the media 305 will also include sub-

ject matter category data **320**, media type **325**, media size and position preferences **330**. The media type **325** can specify attributes of style, and whether the media **305** format is a graphic image, a video clip, an audio clip, or another type of multimedia, which can enable the system **100** to further amplify the relevance of the media **305** to be communicated.

With respect to the media size and position preferences, the media server 300 communicates the position information and preferences 330 to separately position each media item 305 into pre-defined positional zones about a media canvas 335 to have predetermined arrangements. The media canvas 335 establishes a predictable way wherein different formats and types of media 305 information can be placed, positioned, overlaid, and dynamically movable with respect to the media canvas 335.

The media size and position preferences 330 also enables the media server 300 and other components of system 100 to queue the media 305 into certain predetermined positions on the media canvas 335 for use in responses such as web pages that may be communicated in response to the requests or queries or messages 120, 130, 140. The media server 300 receives and is further configured to utilize the dynamic, static, and mobile requests or queries or messages 120, 130, 140, and the respective locations 125, 135, 145, and to compare this data to the geographic data 310 and the category data 320 to enable communication of media 305 that is thereby geotargeted and subject matter relevant to the requests or queries or messages 120, 130, 140 from the entities D, S, M.

The media server 300 is also configured to receive, store, search for, retrieve, and communicate geotargeted media 305 that incorporates a media push tag 340. This push tag 340 may be incorporated into or as part of metadata with or as part of the geotargeted media 305, or which can be encoded or otherwise embedded as part of the geotargeted media 305 other data and information elements. The push tag 340 preferably includes a dated time limit 345 and a discrete impression the count 350.

The dated time limit 345 can be used by the media server 300 to specify or otherwise establish a time period during which the geotargeted media 305 can be communicated, and 40 where at times outside the time period, the geotargeted media 305 may be classified as expired so it will not be communicated. In this way, only media 305 with unexpired time limits can be retrieved and communicated. The impression count 350 is used by the media server 300 as another means by 45 which to amplify the relevance of the communicated media 305 as a function of preferred periods of time, and to only communicate the geotargeted media 305 a certain number of times that does not exceed the count 350, where after the media 305 is deemed exhausted. Each time a media item 305 is embedded and communicated from the media server 300, the count 350 is decremented.

In additionally preferable arrangements, the media server 300 is also adapted to overcome the problems associated with entities using various types of media blocking methods, 55 which are the result of entities D, S, M being inundated with media that is irrelevant both from a geographic location and subject matter category perspective. The media server 300 is adapted to overcome this obstacle in one of a number of ways.

One such adaptation of media server 300 searches for 60 relevant media 305 as noted, and instead of communicating the media 305 directly in response to the requests or queries or messages 120, 130, 140, the media server 300 instead first embeds or composites the media 305 into a data bundle or data stream 360 in a pre-rendered format such as a webpage 65 ready to display, before communicating the data bundle 360 in response. By pre-rendering the media 305 into and as part

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of the data stream or bundle **360**, the media server **300** ensures or at least greatly improves the probability the media **305** will be communicated to and displayed by the entities D, S, M, without being blocked before display.

This also greatly improves the effectiveness, speed of display, and operation of media delivery to the entities D, S, M, prevents incorrectly displayed information that is communicated from system 100, and ensures that the system 100 is configured to improve the experience of users. The pre-rendering of media 305 and other information into the data bundle 360 is done by the media server 300 or other higher-speed and higher processing power components of the system 100, before communicating the data bundle 360, instead of having to be accomplished by the likely less capable electronic devices such as entities D, S, M.

The media server 300 may use any number of techniques to also precisely position and arrange the media 305 or a series of such media 305 forming the plurality of media 315 into a combination of such data streams or bundles 360. The media server 300 then communicates this data bundle 360 to another component in system 100, such as directory search monitor 110 or host network site repository and server 500.

These components 110, 500 may then embed further data into the data bundle 360 so that the media 305 is masked and forms a part of a larger response, such as a website page, to the requests or queries or messages 120, 130, 140; as before, the media 305 being embedded and or masked in a pre-rendered format, which also greatly speeds up the display of the larger response being communicated to entities D, S, M for interactive use and display. This capability prevents the media 305 from being inadvertently or undesirably blocked by the entities D, S, M, or applications be executed thereon, thus further amplifying the relevance of the media 305 for the benefit of the geotargeted and subject matter relevancy targeted recipients.

The media server 300 is also configured to communicate the data bundle or streams 360 to, and or receive and or retrieve from the host network server 500, at least one network site 505 from a plurality of network sites 510 stored on the host network site repository and server 500. The host network site repository and server 500, among other capabilities, receives, stores, retrieves, and communicates the network sites 510 in response to requests from other subsystems of system 100 and other requesting services or entities. Each network site will typically include geographic location data 515, and category data 520 that classifies the network into one of a series of subject matter categories that correspond with the media categories data 320.

In this particular configuration, the media server 300 is further configured to generate one or more of the composited or embedded data bundles 360, which embed the geotargeted media 305 in combination with the at least one network site 510, in the pre-rendered configuration. Once composited, embedded, pre-rendered, and packaged into the data bundles 360, the media server 300 is adapted to communicate the one or more composited, pre-rendered data bundles 360 as responses to the requests or queries or messages 120, 130, 140. In further possibly preferred arrangements, the media server 300 is also preferably configured to optionally communicate the composited data bundles 360 directly to at least one of the directory search monitor 110 and mobile entity monitor 200, and or other elements and components of the system 100, for subsequent communication to the entities D, S. M.

A geocoder **400** is also included in the system **100**, and may be in communication with, coupled to, and or a part of the media server **300**, or other components of the system **100**. The

geocoder **400** is preferably configured to receive a geographic location, grid identifier, coordinates, in any of many possible forms, such as by requests or queries or messages **120**, **130**, **140**, or as otherwise described herein. The geocoder **400** is also configured to enable conversion of any received locations, for example, the static, dynamic, and temporal mobile locations **125**, **135**, **145**, between different types of geographic location data and or coordinates.

Examples of geographic location information can include latitude and longitude coordinates, postal codes, street address, region names or identifiers, geographic information system (GIS) grid, plat, parcel, property, feature, and other identifiers, and geographic grid locations such as those associated with universal transverse Mercator (UTM), Universal Polar Stereographic (UPS), military grid reference system (MGRS), and many other types of geographic coordinates.

The geocoder **400** is further configured upon receipt of a location, such as dynamic, static, and temporal mobile locations **125**, **135**, **145**, to generate for each location a geozone 20 designator **410**, which is preferably generated and normalized into a unique integer value. The geocoder **400** is configured to use the received locations **125**, **135**, **145**, and the respectively generated geozone designators **410** as grid-centers, used to generate a grid **420** of geozones **430** of nearby 25 geographic locations, with each generated geozone **430** in the grid **420** also having a unique geozone designator **410**.

More specifically, the geocoder 400 uses the received locations and generated designators 410, to generate a grid 420 of equal area isometric, adjacent geozones 430 each having 30 respectively assigned geozone designators 410. In addition to generating the geozone designators 410 for each received location 125, 135, 145, the geocoder 400 is also configured to generate geozone identifiers 440 for each geographic location data 515 of the network site 505, and for the geographic data 35 310 for each media item 305. As with the geozone designators 410, the geocoder 400 is also adapted to generate the geozone identifiers 440 as integer values that are computed from the geographic locations or data, whether such locations are defined by geographic coordinates, grid locations from other 40 grid or gridding systems, specific addresses, zip codes, and place names such as towns, cities, boroughs, neighborhoods, counties, and similar naming conventions.

The grid 420 generated by the geocoder 400 is arranged to include a centrally positioned geozone 430 that includes the 45 received location (one or more of locations 125, 135, 145), which has been assigned the computed or generated geozone designator 410. In other words, each geozone 430 of the generated grid 420 is assigned a calculated, respective unique geozone designator 410, which for the received location(s), is 50 the grid-central, grid-centered, or centrally positioned geozone 430. The geocoder 400 also preferably generates the grids 420 of equal area geozones 430 whereby each geozone 430 has isometric, predetermined polygonal and or rectilinear dimensions that circumscribe and define the area of each 55 resultant polygon or geozone 430.

In another aspect of the present system and method, the geocoder 400 is configured to generate the grid 420 to have the geozones 430 generated within the grid 420 and positioned adjacently with each other geozone 430. The adjacent 60 positioning also surrounds the grid-centered or center geozone 430, which includes or contains the centrally positioned static, dynamic, and or mobile locations 125, 135, 145. Illustrated differently, geocoder is also further configured to generate the grid 420 to have at least a predetermined number of 65 geozones 430, which are adjacently arranged with each other and around the grid-centered geozone 430.

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It may be even more useful and preferable in certain configurations of the geocoder 400, such that the geocoder 400 generates the grid 420 to have a group of geozones, perhaps at least nine geozones 430, or more if preferred, arranged substantially in rows and columns, for example 3 rows and 3 columns, with the location centrally positioned in a center grid or grid-centered geozone 430 of the nine. The substantially isometric dimensions of each geozone 430 in the grid **420** may have a predetermined and or adjustably configured dimension, for purposes of example only, of one mile, one kilometer, ten miles, or ten kilometers, or any other preferred dimension or in any other unit system. In other alternative arrangements, the grid 420 may be established to have nonrectilinear configurations, and may instead or in combination use concentric circular grids having radii some preferred, pre-established, or predetermined distance, and having each circular element of the curvilinear grid being segmented into pie slices or secant sections bounded by inner and outer circular segments and two radii set apart by a selected angle.

The system 100 also further incorporates the host network site repository and server 500 that is communicatively coupled to the media server 300, and the directory search and mobile entity monitors 110, 200, and other components of system 100. The host network site repository and server 500 receives, normalizes, parses, stores, retrieves, and communicates the network site information 505, and is configured, among many various capabilities, to generate unique network site keys 530, and to also communicate to and receive from the media server 300 the geotargeted media 305 and previously retrieved network site keys 530 retrieved during media server searches described elsewhere herein. The network site keys 530 are initially generated by the host network site repository and server 500 and or its components and subsystems, and the keys 530 are used to and enable rapidly look-up network site information from a the network site repository and server 500 having a plurality of network sites 510.

As previously described in other contexts, the host network site repository and server 500 will similarly encounter high data volatility and will need to minimize latency when searching for, retrieving, and communicating requested network site information 505. Accordingly, an optimized configuration of the host network site repository and server 500 will incorporate one or more of the NoSQL or non-relational database, key-value systems already described. This implementation will be best served in combination with using the on-demand resource scalability available from the noted, exemplary CSPs.

Each of the configurations of the system 100 described herein are also compatible for further variations the implement the media server 300 being configured to receive, retrieve, and communicate the geotargeted media 305 after searching the geographic data 310 for geographic proximity, range, distance, or proximity range, or range of proximities to the locations 125, 135, 145 of the requests or queries or messages 120, 130, 140. The media server 300 accomplishes the search by comparing the geozone designators 410 with the geozone identifiers 440 for network sites 505 and media 305. Since the media server 300 must only compare the integers that define the geozone designators 410 (for locations 125, 135, 145) and identifiers 440, the comparison is rapid. As those skilled in the technical field should be able to comprehend, the exemplary dimensional arrangement of the geozones 430 and the assembled grids 420 enables the media server 300 to quickly calculate approximate distance, range, proximity, proximity range, or range of proximity range values between the dynamic, static, and mobile locations 125,

135, 145 and the geographic location data 310 of the media 305 and the locations 515 of the network sites 505.

The media server 300 can thus calculate distance or proximity range and retrieve and communicate geotargeted, responsive media 305 and geographically proximate network 5 sites 505 by utilizing minimal computing resources and with very low latency, despite the need to process millions of requests or queries or messages 120, 130, 140 and to search through potentially millions of media items 305 and network sites 505.

For purposes of continued illustration using a different explanation, the geotargeted media 305 and the network site keys 530 are selected, retrieved, and communicated if they have geographic location data 310, 515 proximate to the received locations 125, 135, 145. Such geographic proximity, 15 distance, range, or proximity range is another way to measure geographic relevance or preferred geotargeting. The simplest case to assess for closeness or distance or proximity is accomplished if the location or location data 515 of the network site keys 530 and or the geotargeted media 305 location data 310 have respective geographic or geozone identifiers 440 that equal the geographic or geozone designator 410 of any of the geozones 430 of the generated grid 420.

By implementing a geozone identifier 440 and designator 410 coding schema whereby adjacent geozones 430 have 25 generated or computed integer values that are within some predetermined range of one another, adjacent proximity, distance, closeness, or proximity range can be readily calculated without the need for more complex, computing resource intensive geographic distance and unit conversion computations.

The media server 300 also contemplates configurations wherein the media server 300 is customized to generate, store, retrieve, communicate, and calculate a weighting 370 for the geotargeted media 305 and for the network site keys 530, as a 35 function of the constituent data elements for each. The computation of the weighting 370 enables the plurality of geotargeted media 315 and network sites 510 to be compared for ranking the members of the plurality 315, 510 as a function of the data contained therein and with the data contained in the 40 requests or queries or messages 120, 130, 140. In this way, the media server 300 can establish an amplified geotargeted and subject matter (category) relevancy of the media 305 and network sites 505 to be communicated in direct context of the requests or queries or messages 120, 130, 140.

More specifically, the weighting 370 is calculated and the relevancy determination is made by comparing the informational aspects of the media 305 and network sites 505 to the location and category information received in the requests, or queries or messages 120, 130, 140. The information dimensions compared include the locations 125, 135, 145 versus the locations 310 510, the predetermined categories of interest 150, the favorite categories 155, and the favorite websites 160

For example, if the range of possible weightings 370 span 55 0% on the low end to a high end of 100%, a sample weighting can be calculated wherein when locations 125, 135, 145 have geozone designators 410 that match a geozone identifier 440, a first relevancy parameter 375 may be set to equal 100%. If instead there is close proximity or a small distance between 60 the locations 125, 135, 145 to such adjacent geozones 430, then the 1<sup>st</sup> relevancy parameter 375 might be calculated as 75% or any other preferred set point.

A proximity, distance, or proximity range that is farther than some predetermined or pre-established or preferred 65 proximity range and outside of this preference, then the 1<sup>st</sup> relevancy parameter may be set to 0% (zero percent), which

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establishes irrelevancy or otherwise excludes media 305 and network sites 505 that are beyond the preferred distance and proximity range(s), and too far from the locations 125, 135, 145

Similarly, calculating the relevancy of the categories between the requests or queries or messages 120, 130, 140, and those categories 320, 520 of the media 305 and network sites, can calculate analogous values to be applied to a  $2^{nd}$  relevancy parameter 380. Comparing the other data items can set values of  $3^{rd}$  and nth relevancy parameters 385, 390. The weighting 370 can then be computed by summation and averaging or any of a host of various methods, that may include further weightings applied to each of the relevancy parameters.

In another illustrative configuration that may be used alone or in combination with those elsewhere described, the weighting 370 may be further calculated whereby the nth relevancy parameters are computed or generated from a predetermined cross-tabulation array of categories 395 having preset relevancy weightings established in the table. For example, the cross-tab 395 might have the same categories across a row axis and a columnar axis. For row-column intersections of identical categories, the nth relevancy parameter might equal null or 0% (zero percent).

For similar but not identical categories, the row-column intersection might equal 80%, which may be sensible for a vehicle dealership row intersecting a tire or vehicle repair entity. But a vehicle dealership row that intersects an unrelated category such as a bakery ought to have a 0% relevancy. So if all possible categories numbered 300 as an example, the cross-tab table would have 300 rows and 300 columns, establishing 90,000 intersections, with 300 identical category intersections having 0% relevancy.

In this way, the weighting calculation 370 is configured to optimize the relevance of geotargeted media 305 and network sites 505 that are communicated in response to the various requests or queries or messages 120, 130, 140. This preferred relevancy determination enables precise, targeted, and focused media 305 and network sites 505 to be identified, selected, and communicated in response to the requests or queries or messages 120, 130, 140, whereby the media 305 and network sites 505 to be communicated will thereby have an optimized weighting 370 and amplified relevance to requests.

In yet another modified configuration the media server 300 is further configured to use the accumulated statistics 630 to adjust the relevancy parameters 375, 380, 385, 390, and 395, to thereby further adjust the weightings 370 to communicate media 305 and network sites 505 that are most of interest to entities D, S, M. In a further example for purposes of illustration, but not limitation, the media server 300 can be further configured to automatically update the weightings 370 for media 305 and network sites 505 as a function of how many times the dynamic, static, and temporal mobile requests or queries or messages 120, 130, 140 are received with additional information that substantiates higher levels of interest.

More specifically, in these expanded modifications of the preceding configurations, the requests or queries or messages 120, 130, 140 may be further adapted to include media click categories 170, searches categories 175, and demographics 180 that can be self-identified by users of the entities D, S, M. Further, the media server 300 and or the data analytics engine are individually and or cooperatively configured to accumulate this request data 170, 175, 180 as the accumulated statistics 630. Additionally, the directory search monitor 110, the mobile entity monitor 200, the host network site repository and server 500, and the management servers 600, 610, 700

hausted impression counts **350** and a limited or short amount of time left in the time limit **345** to expend those impression counts **350**.

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may gather this information 170, 175, 180 from the requests or queries or messages 120, 130, 140, or from independently monitoring and accumulating data and statistics from listening to request communications traffic passing through system 100

In any of these configurations that gather and accumulate the accumulated statistics and data 630, the media server 300 is configured to automatically and in real-time continuously or periodically modify the nth or nth+1 relevancy parameters **390**, and updated the predetermined cross-tabulation array of categories 395 with new relevancy weightings. The updated relevancy weightings in table 395 and relevancy parameters 390 and nth+1 would be increased for categories having higher media clicks 170, for increased counts of search categories 175, and or for categories that experience increased 15 interest from certain aspects as evidenced by the demographic data 180. Similarly and in contrast, such relevancy weightings in the table 395 and relevancy parameters 390 could also in some cases be decreased over some predetermined and suitable period of time in the absence of such media clicks 20 170, counts of search categories 175, and or for categories that experience no or decreased interest as evidenced by certain aspects of the demographic data 180

In configurations that adopt these real-time response, automatic relevancy updates, the system 100 can thereby be 25 implemented with a machine-learning capability that continuously adjusts up and down the relevancy parameters 375, 380, 385, 390, 395 and in turn the weightings 370 for media 305 and network sites 505, as a direct and real-time function of how entities D, S, M are responding to the media 305 and 30 network sites 505 that are being communicated to the entities D, S, M.

In contrast and in other exemplary configurations, and as those skilled in the field might surmise or deduce from the preceding examples, the weighting 370 may also be config- 35 ured to prevent communication of unwanted or otherwise undesired geotargeted media 305 or network sites 505. For example, it may be desired that geotargeted media 305 of certain types, categories, and having certain locations should not be communicated in response to certain requests from 40 locations too far away or not in some preferred, pre-established or predetermined proximity range or distance. For a specifically requested network site 505, the media server 300 may be configured whereby geotargeted media 305 is selected from a group or plurality of geotargeted media 315 45 such that each media item 305 has a media category identifier 320 that is not equal to the network site category identifier 520 of the network site 505. This capability can prevent the unwanted results of having media 305 embedded into the data bundles 360 that directly competes or conflicts with the infor- 50 mation contained in the network site 505.

The host network site repository and server 500 is further configured to receive the network site data 505 with the media push tags 340 described elsewhere herein, which have the noted time limit and impression count data 345, 350. The 55 media server 300 is this arrangement is also adapted to communicate the media push tags 340 directly to the host network site repository and server 500, or any of the other components of the system.

Here, the media server 300 also retrieves and generates the 60 above-described weighting 370 for the geotargeted media 305, by also calculating the nth relevancy parameter using an unexpired and elapsed time within the time limit 345 and expended impression count from the impression count 350. The media server 300 can thereby retrieve and communicate 65 geotargeted media 305 in response to requests or queries or messages 120, 130, 140, more often when there are unex-

Additional configurations of the mobile media communication system 100 also include a management server 600 that is configured to manage resources across the system 100 and during operation of the methods. The management server 600 is further adapted to enable data acquisition including network site data 505 and related information 510, 515, 520. The management server 600 is also enabled with the capability to normalize and store the acquired network site data 505 by parsing the acquired data into a standardized format and arrangement this is forcibly consistent across all network sites 505 so as to further optimize use of the NoSQL schema.

The management server 600 may be preferably configured to manage a specific and predetermined, limited geographic region for the mobile media management system 100, and may be replicated for use in adjacent and remotely located geographic regions. The management server 600 is coupled to and configured to communicate with the media server 300, the host network site repository and server 500, and the directory search and mobile entity monitors 110, 200, among other components. The management server 600 is also configured to receive media 305 having geographic location data 310, category data 320, and related information, and to communicate such to and from the other system components.

The management server 600 is also reconfigurable or can be replicated to operate as an inter-regional server 700 that is configured to manage the regionally adapted management servers 600. (FIG. 1). As with the servers 600, the inter-regional server may incorporate one or more inter-regional domain controllers and name servers 705.

The mobile media communication system 100 is also implemented to operate with, include, and enable a mobile application 800. The mobile application 800 is configured interact exclusively with the system 100 in various optimized and customize ways so as to maximize responsiveness and utility. One configuration of mobile application 800 enables direct access to the management servers 600, 610, 700 to facilitate management of network site data 505 by mobile entities M that may be authorized for such capability.

In other more ubiquitous aspects, the mobile application 800 is optimized to periodically communicate with the host network site repository and server 500 directly or through the mobile entity monitor 200. In turn, this capability enables communication with the directory search monitor 110 and media server 300, and the other components of the system 100. The mobile application 800 is also configured, among other capabilities, to periodically and on demand to retrieve a temporal location TL with geographic coordinates and or related data, to store category and favorite preferences, and to periodically communicate the temporal location as a temporal mobile location 145, and the predetermined preferences such as categories of interest 150, favorite categories 155, and favorite websites 160.

Any of the preceding implementations may be configured for operation in wide range of physical and architectural arrangements as can be understood from the preceding descriptions, and various figures in connection with FIG. 6, which is an illustration of a data processing system 1000, in accordance with an illustrative arrangement of the mobile media communication system 100. The data processing system 1000 may execute some of the capabilities previously described, and is an example of a system computer 1000, upon which elements of the mobile media communication system, methods, and related applications, code, and modules may execute.

arranged and used in the context of the system 100 as described. The different alternatives and arrangements may be made using any hardware device or system capable of running program code 1110.

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Storage devices 1010, such as memory 1020, permanent storage 1030, or computer readable media 1040 may store code 1110 for the system 100 of FIGS. 1, 2, 3, and 4. Any of the memory, persistent storage, or computer readable media may be a non-transitory computer readable storage media 51120. In turn, computer program product 1300 and program code 1110 could implement one or more elements of the system 100.

The different illustrative modifications and variations of the exemplary configurations can take the form of an entirely hardware-based adaptation, an entirely software-based system, or a hybrid implementation containing both hardware and software elements. Some variations and modifications are implemented in software, which includes but is not limited to forms, such as, for example, firmware, resident software, and microcode.

The data processing system 1000 includes a communications signal media and subsystem 1125 (such as removable 10 flash memory that universal serial bus, Bluetooth®, and/or near-field communication addressable and similar media) and infrastructure 1200, which enables communications between the processors 1050, memory 1020, persistent storage 1030, communications unit 1060, the input/output (I/O) 15 unit 1070, and the displays 1080.

Furthermore, the different aspects shown can take the form of a computer program product 1300 accessible from a computer usable or computer readable medium 1040 providing program code 1110 for use by or in connection with a computer or any device or system that executes instructions. For the purposes of this disclosure, a computer usable or computer readable medium can generally be any tangible apparatus that can contain, store, communicate, propagate, or transport the program for use by or in connection with the instruction execution system, apparatus, or device.

Processors 1050 serve to execute instructions for software that may be loaded into memory 1020, which together may also be spawned and operate as the aforementioned VMs in addition to being configured as physical units. Software 20 loaded into memory 1020 may include the systems and components of system 100, which may be executed on the processors 1050 and memory 1020 to implement, for example, the various capabilities and operations described and illustrated in connection with FIGS. 1, 2, 3, 4. The processors 25 1050 may, for example, execute instructions for the mobile media communications system 100 and methods for calculating the weights 370, and for embedding the media 305 into data bundles 360, and for communicating information between the various resources.

With continuing reference to the various figures, and specifically to FIGS. 1, 2, 3, and 4, an additional variation of the mobile media communications system is contemplated, and incorporates a request or query entity extractor 1400. As with other components of system 100, the query entity extractor 1400 is embodied in and/or executable on one or more processors 1050 that are coupled to memory 1020 and network 1200, among other components.

The higher powered, and larger number of processors 1050 also enable the pre-rendering of the media 305 and network sites 505 into the data bundles 360 before communication to the entities D, S, M so as to improve the operation of system 100 wherein the less capable and lower speed processors of 35 the entities D, S, M only need to display the communicated data bundles 360 without having to decrement performance and resources to rendering.

The query or request entity extractor 1400 is configured to receive and shallow-parse a query or request or message 120, 130, 140 that has, among other data, a source location 125, 135, 145, which may be and that may include an IP address, into shallowly parsed extracted entities. As contemplated in system 100, shallow parsing includes tokenizing, chunking, and/or identifying the elements of the requests or messages 120, 130, 140 to enable the extractor 1400 to deconstruct the requests and find those elements that are most likely search terms that are searchable by system 100.

The communications unit 1060, and communications infrastructure 1200, in these example implementations, 40 enables communications with other VMs that enables various components of system 100 as such are scaled up, and terminated during periods of lower demand, any of which may be implemented across different geographic locations and across different communications and computing systems 45 across the contemplated enterprise cloud infrastructures and architectures. The communications infrastructure 1200 and unit 1060 may send or receive data, instructions, and other electronic media from any of the described systems, executing methods, and the various user desktops, laptops, handheld 50 devices, and other devices in operation with the entities communicating with the system 100 during operation.

For example, the queries or requests or messages 120, 130, 140, may include categories 170, 175, and other data 180 in addition to plain or structured requests or textual queries, autocorrected for spelling errors, with stop words removed, and the extractor 1400 enables system 100 to recognize those elements needed for searching system 100 for responsive data. Stop words can include words that are not deemed to convey meaningful data or information, e.g., it, the, a, that, this, is, be, etc., as well as words that may be excluded for other technical or policy reasons, e.g., offensive words, words related to subject matter that is to be intentionally excluded, words that cannot be corrected or that are unidentifiable as words in a language of the queries or requests or any other known language, and words that are to be excluded for similar or analogous reasons.

The input/output (I/O) interface 1070 enables for input and output of data with other devices that may be connected to the data processing system 1000 and system 100. For example, 55 the input/output (I/O) unit 1070 may provide a connection for user input through the user interface, a keyboard, a mouse, and or some other suitable input device. The displays 1080 provide a mechanism to display information to an entity D, S, M, or users BA, RA, IRA thereof. The displays 1080 may 60 display results of various operations and interactions to a user of any of the information contemplated and described.

This alternative configuration of system 100 also includes a geofencer 1420, which is in communication with the query entity extractor 1400. The geofencer 1420 is configured, among other capabilities, to lookup a geographic location with the source IP address 125, 135, 145 using internal, external, and combination systems and databases that enable geolocation, and which identify a location that is most likely to be associated with the source IP address 125, 135, 145, as well as other related information that may include demographic data.

The different components illustrated for the data processing system 1000 are not meant to provide architectural limitations to the manner in which different configurations of the 65 mobile media communication system 100 may be implemented, but only to serve as expanded examples that are to be

The geofencer **1420** is also further configured to generate a geofence that is defined by a perimeter that surrounds the grid

of geozones described elsewhere herein. As before, the grid is formed from adjacent equal area isometric geozones surrounding a centrally positioned geozone as a grid-center that includes the location of the IP address, and wherein each geozone has a respective unique geozone designator.

The mobile media communication system 100 also includes a faceting searcher 1440. The searcher 1440 is configured to be in communication with the query entity extractor 1400 and to receive the shallow parsed request or query or message 120, 130, 140, and to use the shallow parsed, 10 extracted entities to enable a faceted search of predetermined category domains. Each of the domains includes at least navigationally faceted items, services, and locations, which are or which may be relevant to the requests or queries. Faceted searching as enabled by the searcher 1440 includes generating auto selected items, services, and locations from the data in the predetermined and navigationally faceted category domains.

The faceting searcher **1440** is further configured to generate a one-to-one and/or one-to-many category array for each 20 extracted entity. The category arrays associate to each extracted entity, one or more categories of the navigationally faceted items, services, and locations in predetermined category domains. The faceting searcher **1440** may also generate, with the location and extracted entities and associated category arrays, a conflated query array that includes the extracted entities, the category array, and a query confidence probability for each category array element. The query confidence probability is calculated to represent the likelihood that any particular element of the conflated query array is 30 responsive to the queries and requests or message **120**, **130**, **140**.

In further variations of these configurations, the faceting searcher 1440 of the system 100 may also be adapted to search the previously described host network site repository 35 and server 500, and a plurality of network sites 510, with the grid and conflated query array, and to retrieve one or more network site 505 keys 530 within the grid perimeter and an associated relevancy probability, which is calculated as a function of the number of retrieved network site keys 530 that 40 have associated categories or category data identifiers 520, which match and/or are relevant to those of the category arrays of the conflated query.

The modified arrangements of mobile medial communication system 100 also include the media server 300, which is described elsewhere herein, to be in communication with the faceting searcher 1440 and directory search monitor 110. Here, as with other variations, the media server 300 is configured to retrieve and communicate targeted media 305 having (a) geozone identifiers 310 that are within the grid perimeter and (b) categories 320 that match at least one of the category arrays of the conflated query.

Similar to other adaptations of the system 100, the host network site repository and server 500 is also in communication with the media server 300 and the faceting searcher 1440. 55 In this variation, the repository and server 500 is configured to retrieve from the network site repository 500 one or more network sites 505 that match, respectively, the one or more network keys 530. One or more of the host network site repository and server 500 and the media server 300 generate one or more composited data bundles 360, which embed the targeted media 305 with the one or more network sites 505. The one or more of the conflated query array and the one or more composited data bundles 360 are then communicated in response to the requests or queries or messages 120, 130, 140. 65

The mobile media communication system 100 also contemplates alternatively preferred configurations that commu-

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nicate the responsive bundles and conflated queries 360 in response to the query, and also in response to a predetermined sequence of unrelated or non-request or non-query operations, such as for purposes of generating targeted media 305 for other media distribution and communications systems. The one or more conflated query array may be adapted to include sending the one or more conflated query array and the composited data bundles (a) in reply to the query, and (b) also to at least one of an entity or device D, S, M, and a network site operator NSO as part of one or more push notifications 1450.

In alternative configuration of the system 100, the push notifications 1450 are adapted to be communicated between the mobile media communication system 100 and various entities and devices D, S, M, and other systems and entities such as network site operators, external media sources, and others. The push notifications 1450 may wrap, embed in data streams, and translate media into various formats such as JSON, BSON, COM, HTML, XML, and many other target formats. The push notifications 1450 may also include text and other media, and may include messages, message replies, data, audio, imagery, video, and other data to be communicated between devices and entities D, S, M, operators NSO, external media sources EMS, and other recipients.

In further variations of the mobile media communication system 100, an enterprise media controller 1460 (FIG. 1) is included and coupled to the various components of system 100. The enterprise media controller 1460 is configured to enable additional control of the distribution of media 305, and can enable a network site operator NSO to upload and modify various media content and related parameters, including geographic data 310, category data identifier 320, media size/position data 330, push tag data 340, and related media parameters.

Also contemplated and enabled by system 100 is an external media communication capability that can import and export media 305 to and from other media communication and distribution systems. For example, the mobile media communication system 100 can be coupled to an external media server EMS (FIG. 1), such as informational websites that may include, for example without limitation, weather.gov, espn.com, nasa.gov, cnn.com, foxnews.com, wsj.com, and marketing media websites such as Google's Adsense, Amazon's Product Ads, Affiliate Marketing, Adversal, Propeller Ads Media, PopAds, Infolinks, and many other media sources.

Many challenges can be encountered in attempts to retrieve and distribute external media, and the mobile media communication system 100 contemplates various enabling capabilities to overcome such possible problems. One such solution includes external media wrapper 1480 (FIG. 1), which is configured to receive external media from server EMS, and to redistribute such to devices or entities D, S, M, and network site operators NSO, and other external media recipients.

The external media wrapper 1480 is configured to receive and wrap or embed such external media in a compatible data stream that may also include composited data bundles 360. For example, the external media wrapper 1480 may wrap the received external media in an HTML iFrame or similarly architected wrapper when redistributing external media to HTML compatible devices. Other types of data stream constructs are also contemplated for use with media wrapper 1480.

Additional arrangements of system 100 contemplates the host network site repository and server 500 arranged in communication with the media server 300 and the faceting searcher 1440. These components 300, 500, and 1440 are configured to receive a response or more than one response

and or message, to the one or more push notifications 1450 from an entity or the entities or devices D, S, M, ESM, and to communicate the response and or messages to the network site operator NSO.

The host network site repository and server **500** and other components such as **300**, **1440**, may also be configured to receive a response and or message to the one or more push notifications **1450** from the network site operator NSO, and to communicate the response and or message to an entity or the entities and devices D, S, M. In these configurations, the push notifications **1450** and the responses and or messages enable greatly enhanced and targeted messaging between one or a plurality of the entities, devices D, S, M, and even the NSO.

The requests or queries or messages 120, 130, 140, received by the mobile media communications system 100 in some variations also may include a no-geo-limit parameter. For example, if a request or query or messages 120, 130, 140 is received and expressly does not want to limit responses to a geographic area, then the no-geo-limit parameter is communicated to enable media to be communicated in reply from system 100 without being limited to any particular geographic region. In this configuration, the geofencer 1420 is further configured to lookup a geographic region such as an entire state, country, or region of the world, in response to the no-geo-limit parameter, and to generate the geofence grid perimeter to surround that larger area geographic region.

In this variations of the mobile media communications system 100, the previously described directory search monitor 110 may be incorporated as part of, in place of, and/or operable in combination with the faceting searcher 1440. As with other arrangements of the system 100, the directory search monitor 110 is configured to search the network site repository and server 500 and a plurality of network sites 510 with the grid and conflated query array, and to retrieve the one or more network site keys 530 and to generate the associated relevancy probability calculated as a function of the network site keys 530 having a number of categories 520 matching those of the category arrays of the conflated query.

In this variation, the media server 300 is in communication 40 with both the faceting searcher 1440 and directory search monitor 110, and is configured similarly to prior arrangements, to retrieve targeted media 305, 315 having geozone identifiers 440 that are within the grid perimeter and categories that match at least one of the category arrays of the 45 conflated query, and to embed the retrieved targeted media 305, 315 in a data wrapper. The instant configuration is similarly arranged with the host network server 500 in communication with the media server 300 and the faceting searcher 1440, as well as the directory search monitor 110.

In any of the various embodiments and configurations, the system components may be configured to perform one or more capabilities, functions, and operations of any of the other components. For example, the host network server 500, or any other component may be further configured to perform 55 the functions and capabilities of one or more or all of the system 100 components, including for example and purposes of illustration, the directory search monitor 110, the mobile entity monitor 200, the media server 300, the geocoder 400, the NW site repository 500, and or any of the other servers, 60 engines, and components.

The above description refers to systems, methods, components, elements, nodes, or features being in "communication" together. As used herein, unless expressly stated otherwise, use of these terms and words must be understood to mean that 65 one system/method/component/element/node/module/feature is directly or indirectly joined to and or communicates

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with another, either electronically, mechanically, or in some similar way that enables cooperative operation.

Further, even though the various described implementations, figures, illustrations, and drawings depict representative examples and arrangements of components, elements, devices, and features, many different additional variations, arrangements, modifications, and intervening components, elements, devices, and features, may also be present in further exemplary implementations that are contemplated by the present disclosure.

Terms, words, and phrases used in this document, and variations thereof, unless otherwise expressly stated, must be construed as open ended as opposed to limiting. For example, the term "including" should be understood to mean "including, without limitation" or similar meanings; the term "example" is used to loosely describe illustrative instances of the item being described, but is not an exhaustive, exclusive, or limiting list; and adjectives such as "conventional," "traditional," "normal," "standard," "known", and terms with similar meanings are not intended to be construed to limit the description to a given example, time period, or to an exemplary item commercially available in the market as of a specific date and time period.

Instead, these descriptions are crafted to be understood by those having knowledge, skill, and ability in the relevant fields of technology and to include conventional, traditional, normal, or standard technologies that may be available now and at any time in the future in some improved and modified form. Similarly, a group of words described and joined with the conjunction "and" or the disjunctive "or" should be understood only as exemplary and representative, but not exclusive groups, and not as requiring that only or each and every one of those described items must be or must not be present in the group. Rather, use of such conjunctives and disjunctives must be understood to mean "and or" unless expressly stated otherwise.

Similarly, a group of words linked with the conjunction "or" must not be understood as requiring mutual exclusivity among that group, but rather must also be understood as meaning "and or" unless expressly stated otherwise. Also, although words, items, elements, or components of this disclosure are described or claimed in the singular, the plural is also intended and contemplated to be within the scope of such a description unless limitation to the singular is explicitly stated. The presence or absence of broadening words and phrases such as "one or more," "at least," "but not limited to" or other like phrases in some instances must not be understood to mean that narrower meanings are implied, intended, or required.

What is claimed is:

- 1. A mobile media communications system, comprising:
- a host network server executable on one or more processors coupled to a memory and a network, and configured to receive a search request having one or more of a source identifier and a query, and to generate a location from the source identifier and to shallow-parse the query into extracted entities;
- the host network server further configured to (a) search with the extracted entities, predetermined category domains, each domain including at least items, services, and locations, (b) generate a one-to-many category array for each extracted entity that associates one or more categories of the predetermined category domains to each extracted entity, and (c) generate, with the location and extracted entities and associated category arrays, a conflated query array that includes the extracted entities,

the category array, and a query confidence probability for each category array element; and

the host network server further configured to search a network site repository with the location and conflated query array, and to retrieve one or more network site 5 keys within a proximity of the location, and to generate an associated relevancy probability calculated as a function of the number of retrieved one or more network site keys having associated categories that match those of the category arrays of the conflated query.

2. The mobile media communications system of claim 1, further comprising:

the host network server further configured to identify targeted media having (a) geozone identifiers that are within the proximity and (b) categories that match at 15 least one of the category arrays of the conflated query.

3. The mobile media communications system of claim 2, further comprising:

the host network server further configured to:

- (a) retrieve from the network site repository one or more 20 network sites respectively matching the one or more network keys,
- (b) generate one or more composited data bundles embedding the targeted media with the one or more network sites arranged by the associated relevancy probabilities, 25
- (c) communicate one or more of the conflated query array with the one or more composited data bundles.
- 4. The mobile media communications system of claim 2, further comprising:

the host network server further configured to receive one or more responses having one or more requests, queries, and messages, and to generate and communicate replies.

5. The mobile media communications system of claim 1, further comprising:

the host network server further configured to generate the location from the source identifier that may include one or more of a geolocation, a source IP address, a media access control device address, and other data.

6. The mobile media communications system of claim 5, 40 further comprising:

a geofencer in communication with the host network server and configured to use the source identifier to at least one of (a) generate the geolocation from the source identifier and (b) if the geolocation is unavailable, lookup a geo- 45 graphic location with at least one of the source IP address, a media access control device address, and other data, and to use the geolocation to generate a geofence defined by a grid having a perimeter, the grid formed from adjacent equal area isometric geozones 50 surrounding a centrally positioned geozone as a gridcenter that includes the location, each geozone having respective unique geozone designators.

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- 7. The mobile media communications system of claim 2, further comprising:
  - a query entity extractor executable on the one or more processors and in communication with the host network server, and configured to receive and shallow-parse the query into the shallowly parsed extracted entities.
- **8**. The mobile media communications system of claim 7, further comprising:
  - a faceting searcher in communication with the query entity extractor and the host network server, and configured to (a) search with the extracted entities, the predetermined category domains, and (b) generate the one-to-many category array and to generate, with the location and extracted entities and category arrays, the conflated query array, and to search the network site repository.
- 9. The mobile media communications system of claim 8, further comprising:
  - a directory search monitor in communication with the host network server and configured to search the network site repository and to retrieve the one or more network site keys and generate the associated relevancy probability.
- 10. The mobile media communications system of claim 9, further comprising:
  - a media server in communication the faceting searcher and directory search monitor, and configured to identify the targeted media.
- 11. The mobile media communications system of claim 3, further comprising:
  - wherein communicating the one or more conflated query array and the composited data bundles is in response to the query.
- 12. The mobile media communications system of claim 3, 35 further comprising:
  - the communicating includes sending the one or more conflated query array and the composited data bundles (a) in reply to the query, and (b) also to at least one of an entity and a network site operator as part of one or more push notifications.
  - 13. The mobile media communications system of claim 12, further comprising:
    - the host network server further configured to receive a response to the one or more push notifications from the entity, and to communicate the response to the network site operator.
  - 14. The mobile media communications system of claim 12, further comprising:
    - the host network server further configured to receive a response to the one or more push notifications from the network site operator, and to communicate the response to the entity.